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FINE FURNITURE FROM THE INDOOR WORLD OF Armstrong

TRANSMARK OPERATIONS DIVISION of THOMASVILLE FURNITURE IND.

Pictured above is the sign recently erected at the Thomasville Furniture Industries Plant here in Appomattox. The sign indicates, this plant carries the name of Transmark Operations and manufactures furniture merchandized as "...from the Indoor World of Armstrong". Thomasville Furniture is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Armstrong Cork Company.

The Armstrong Board of Directors met at the plant on Monday, November 24, and heard reports on the progress of the plant. Present employment is more than 300 people and a limited amount of work has begun on a 2nd shift. If business conditions remain favorable, further growth is expected throughout next year.

Both local management and the Board of Directors were pleased with the growth and progress which has taken place since the plant began operations a year ago. They also expressed gratification for the warm reception which the community has extended the Company and its people.

Special Waltons Program Set For Thanksgiving

A special two-hour broadcast of "The Waltons" will bring into dramatic focus the extraordinary dimensions of this remarkable family when it is presented on the CBS television network station, Channel 7, Thanksgiving night, Nov. 27, at 8 p.m.

This holiday telecast of the regularly scheduled series is being sponsored by your local banks through their membership in the American Bankers Association (ABA).

Considered by many to be a classic TV family drama, The Waltons' Thanksgiving is estimated by CBS to earn a minimum 40 per cent share of the viewing population with the Emmy-Award winning script.

The story finds the Waltons' regular Thanksgiving celebration celebration sadly altered with the absence of John-Boy who is in the hospital.

While preparing for scholarship and entrance examinations to college, John-Boy has also been working with his father in the mill. As a result of an accident there, he develops a blood clot which threatens his eyesight and even more fatal complications and forces him to miss the examinations as well as the traditional family Thanksgiving celebration. But being the Waltons, they find many things to be thankful for at their annual holiday dinner.

Eventually, John-Boy recovers and returns home - - which infinitely enhances the holiday's meaning and inspires the Walton family to give thanks by holding a second Thanksgiving dinner.

This Thanksgiving special is one of several telecasts that will be sponsored by the ABA in cooperation with local banks in the Appomattox area. In February the fifth in a series of telecasts on the life of Abraham Lincoln will be seen on NBC, Channel 10, and Feb. 3-15 the ABA will sponsor the Winter Olympics games being held in Innsbruck, Austria.

LIONS CLUB TO HONOR ACHS FOOTBALL TEAM AT DECEMBER 4 MEETING

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet Thursday night, Dec. 4, at 6:30 p.m. at the Appomattox County High School cafeteria. At this meeting the ACHS Raider Football team and coaches will be honored by the club.

Assistant Football Coach Charlie Tell of VPI & SU will be guest speaker for the evening.

All members of the Lions Club will want to be present.

CHRISTMAS FOR FOSTER CARE CHILDREN

Contributions are being accepted by the Appomattox County Department of Social Services to provide Christmas gifts for children placed in Foster Care Homes. There are no funds available for extras for these needy children.

Please make checks payable to Appomattox County Foster Children's Fund and mail to P. O. Box #26, Appomattox, Va. 24522.

Participants In ACHS Career-College Program

Central Virginia Community College Department Heads and Appomattox County High School seniors who assisted with the Career-College Program on November 24 are shown above, front row, left to right, Herbert Pankey, Mr. Robert Bashore, Mr. David Powell, Dr. Barbour, and Mr. Wendell Armstrong.

"Opportunities At CVCC"

The Guidance Department at Appomattox County High School sponsored the program "Opportunities at Central Virginia Community College" on Monday, November 24 from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. All seniors participated in the career-college program. Department heads and faculty members of CVCC discussed with seniors curriculum requirements, opportunities for employment, and financial aid.

Departments represented & CVCC Department Heads in attendance were Mr. Robert Bashore, Director of Financial Aid and Job Placement; Mr. William Armstrong, Chairman of Business; Mr. David Powell, Health Sciences; Dr. Roger W. Beeker, Chairman of Engineering and Industrial Technology; Dr. Barbour, College Transfer Programs; Mr. Roe Hurst, Chairman of Natural Sciences and Mathmatics; and Mr. John W. Kerns, Financial Aid.

Following the General Session and viewing of film of the varied curriculum and supportive services at the college, small group interest discussions were held. Seniors had the opportunity to participate in two career-college discussion groups.

CVCC offers the two-year transfer program, the certificate program, and the apprentice program.

"Joy"

Memorial United Methodist Church in Appomattox will present "An Advent Celebration of Joy", Dec. 5, 6 and 7.

The celebration will be led by Chaplain Edward O. Temple, Jr., Lynchburg General - Marshall Lodge Hospitals, Inc.

The public is invited to share in this presentation.

Canneries To Close

School Community Canneries located at Appomattox and Pamplin will close for this canning season on Friday, December 19, in an announcement made this week by Lloyd Walton, superintendent of schools for Appomattox County.

Both canneries have had a successful canning season. Total food processed at the canneries have exceeded 140-000 cans. This total volume is greater than normal and represents about 75 percent of the volume for 1974 canning season, which was the highest volume year for the canneries since establishment in the 1940's.

Families who have pork and beef products to can are requested to make appointments before the canneries close. Approximately sixteen (16) canning days are still available, and much food processing may be done in that period of time.

It is anticipated that the canneries will open for the new canning season on July 1,1976.

General Assembly Delays Action On CVPDC Resolution

A resolution requesting the Virginia General Assembly to enact a law requiring toll-free telephone calls within a single jurisdiction was sent back to committee for further study by the Central Virginia Planning District Commission (CVPDC) at its November meeting.

The resolution was proposed by the Commission's Governmental Administrators Technical Committee which was concerned with a problem faced by several counties of having more than one telephone exchange within the jurisdiction making it necessary for some residents to call long distance to such offices as police and fire departments.

Commissioners agreed that this was a problem but discussed the possibility that the 911 emergency phone number might be instituted in this area. By a unanimous vote the Commission decided to send the resolution back to the Committee for further study before any action is taken.

A second resolution which was adopted by the Commission requests Governor Mills E. Godwin to consider appointing a citizen from the eleventh planning district to the Virginia Drug Abuse Advisory Council. At-large membership on the Council is through gubernatorial appointment only and the Central Virginia Planning District has never had representation on the Council.

The planning district is composed of the Counties of Amherst, Appomattox, Bedford and Campbell and the Cities of Bedford and Lynchburg.

Friends Of Library Invite New Members

On November 4,1975 the FRIENDS OF THE APPOMATTOX COUNTY LIBRARY met at the Plaza Farmer's National Bank. The President, Mrs. Dorothy Coleman, called the meeting to order and welcomed those present.

Copies of the proposed Constitution and By-Laws were given to each member and then Mrs. Peggy Marshall, Chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, read them. With the addition of an amendment, the constitution and by-laws were approved.

Carolyn Coleman, representing the XI GAMMA TAU EXEMPLAR-BETA PHI, reported that this sorority would like to take as their project a Drop Box for returned books to be donated to the Appomattox County Library. The members of the Friends of the

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Additional Parking Space Will Be Available

Renovation Scheduled For Downtown Area

The Town of Appomattox's Downtown Renovatin Project should be underway within a few months, according to William S. Slagle, Town Manager.

Designed to improve the town's traffic flow and provide additional parking area, the project is sponsored by the Town Council and it is anticipated that it will be funded through a Department of Housing and Urban Development grant.

The plan calls for widening Harrell Street, an ally one block north of Main Street. Harrell Street will become an alternate traffic route to Main Street.

The Town Manager explained that the plans included pruchasing the old Appomattox Hotel property, raizing the hotel, and turning the area into a parking lot.

Once the project is complete, Slagle said, the door would open to many alternatives for the improvement of the downtown area, one could be turning Main Street into a pedestrian mall with an 1865 theme.

Renovations to Harrell Street will include widening and construction of sidewalks, gutters and curbing. Location of the street will not be significantly changed.

Slagle said that the idea behind the downtown revitalization scheme was to "improve the business climate and open up alternate options for future project."

He said the Town Council's project has the backing of the town's business community and has good support from the Chamber of Commerce, who made this one of their prime projects.

Without the widening and parking project, Slagle said that the downtown community was "boxed in" with any development or changes confined by the railroad tracks just south of Main Street and the Main Street traffic problem.

The town council began planning for the project about three years ago. The town manager said he had "touched base" with all property owners involved in the project.

Slagle said the total cost would not be known until all property purchases were complete.

The Appomattox Town Council has also approved the complete reconstruction of Court Street, with curbs and gutters to be installed. The state highway department is scheduled to begin the project when the town council completes right-of-way acquisitions.

LOCAL R.N.'S WILL ASSIST

Bloodmobile Visit - December 9th

Mrs. Margaret Thompson, Mrs. Jane Pack, Mrs. Aelese Cobb, and Mrs. Gladys Moon - four local Registered Nurses - will once again be volunteering their assistance on December 9 when the Red Cross Bloodmobile makes its third visit of the fiscal year to Appomattox.

The Bloodmobile will be set up at Liberty Baptist Church from noon until 6 p.m. and county citizens will be making every effort to get donors out for a quota of 102 units of blood.

Faithful donors return each visit, giving blood so that it will be available when it is needed by accident victims and persons who are ill and in need of blood.

. . . new volunteer donors are needed in order for Appomattox County to reach its quota and remain 100%. Make plans now to come out on Tuesday, December 9 and donate a unit of your LIVESAVING blood. Seventeen year olds are reminded that they may donate blood with parental consent. A nursery is provided for children of donors.

The Blood Program in Appomattox County is sponsored by the Appomattox Junior Woman's Club with Mrs. Mary Catherine Whitehead as the club's representative. Rev. Earnie Lucas is Chairman of the Blood Program. His assistant is Mrs. Lucy Harvey.

Ladies of the Order of Eastern Star will be in charge of the canteen for this visit. Without the cooperation of the many volunteers, the program would not be the success that it has been for a number of eyars. Join the group of blood donors, give on December 9.

Community Thanksgiving Service Held Wednesday

The Appomattox Community Thanksgiving Service is to be held Wednesday night, November 26 at Memorial United Methodist Church with service beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Area churches being represented in the service include Rev. Doyle Chauncey, Liberty Baptist Church; Rev. Henry Riley, Memorial United Methodist Church; Ronald C. Spiggle, St. Anne's Episcopal Church; Rev. Hans Varmer, Appomattox Seventh-Day Adventist; Rev. Clarence Davis, New Hope Baptist Church; and Rev. Cecil Dalton, Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church.

Reminder - Donations Needed

November has been designated as Firemen's Month for the volunteers of the Appomattox County Fire Department. Paul Drinkard and James R. Ford, Jr. are seeking donations to apply, in conjunction with the Appomattox Town Council, to a dinner honoring the volunteer firemen and to present each of them with a bonus in appreciation for their time and service to the community.

Donations are slow coming in, so if you have not made your contribution to the firemen please mail it to either Mr. Paul Drinkard or Mr. James R. Ford, Jr., Appomattox, VA 24522, or give to them in person. Your contributions will be greatly appreciated.

Groundbreaking For New Calvary Baptist Church

On Sunday, November 23, 1975 groundbreaking ceremonies were held at noon for the new Calvary Baptist Church to be constructed across from Concord Elementary School.

Participating in the groundbreaking, left to right above, were Ray Smith, Chairman of Building Committee; Rev. Frank Casper, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church; Mrs. G. H. Jones, oldest active member; and J. D. Crance, Chairman of Deacons. Hunter Jones, Trustee Chairman was not available for photo.

An architect drawing of the building now under construction can be seen on another page of this issue of the TIMES-VIRGINIAN.